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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
BORIS A. YABLOCHNIKOV	)	
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Serial No.: not yet assigned	)	
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Filed: herewith	)	
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For: METHOD OF MAGNETIC PULSE	)	
WELDING AN END FITTING TO	)	Attorney Docket 1-25107
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VEHICULAR DRIVESHAFT	)	

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the following pages.